## **CLAIMS**

## What is claimed is:

- 1. A framework for real-time media applications on an applications processor in communication with an algorithm processor, comprising:
- (a) a plurality of plugins for a real-time media application on an applications processor;
- (b) a plurality of algorithm components on an algorithm processor, each of said plugins corresponding to one or more algorithm component(s), and said algorithm processor in communication with said applications processor;
  - (c) a component scheduler on said algorithm processor;
- (d) wherein said scheduler provides quality of service for said application with regard to said components by: (i) component scheduling in response to controls from said plugins relating to execution of said components and (ii) notification of events related to execution of said components sent to said plugins.
  - 2. The framework of claim 1, wherein:
- (a) said controls include a set of data rate for one of said components.
  - 3. The framework of claim 1, wherein:
- (a) said events include notice of failure of meeting a presentation time for one of said components.
  - 4. The framework of claim 1, further comprising:
- (a) an applications processor scheduler to determine deadlines for a media stream that can be scheduled on said algorithm processor, and wherein

said scheduler on said algorithm processor schedules a frame at a time of said media stream.

- 5. The framework of claim 1, further comprising:
- (a) a plurality of second algorithm components on a second algorithm processor, with said second algorithm processor in communication with said applications processor and said algorithm processor and said plugins also relate to said second algorithm components.